

In re application of:

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For: THERAPEUTIC CALCIUM PHOSPHATE PARTICLES AND METHODS OF MANUFACTURE AND USE

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Restriction Requirement in the above-identified application.

☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☐ Petition for Extension of Time

☒ No additional fee is required.

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TOTAL	* 77	MINUS	** 77	= 0
INDEP	* 2	MINUS	*** 3	= 0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				

SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDIT. FEE
x 9 =	\$0
x 39 =	\$0
+130 =	\$
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$0

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDIT. FEE
x18 =	\$ 0
x78 =	\$ 0
+260 =	\$ 0
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$ 0

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☒ Any filing fees under 37

CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated July 14, 2000, Applicants respectfully
submit the following remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

REMARKS

The Examiner has restricted the claims into the following groups: